

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

THE CENTER FOR INVESTIGATIVE  
REPORTING, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

OPENAI, INC., OPENAI GP, LLC,  
OPENAI, LLC, OPENAI OPCO LLC,  
OPENAI GLOBAL LLC, OAI  
CORPORATION, LLC, OPENAI  
HOLDINGS, LLC, and MICROSOFT  
CORPORATION,

Defendants.

THE NEW YORK TIMES COMPANY,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICROSOFT CORPORATION, OPENAI,  
INC., OPENAI LP, OPENAI GP, LLC,  
OPENAI, LLC, OPENAI OPCO LLC, OPENAI  
GLOBAL LLC, OAI CORPORATION, LLC,  
OPENAI HOLDINGS, LLC,

Defendants.

DAILY NEWS, LP; CHICAGO TRIBUNE  
COMPANY, LLC; ORLANDO SENTINEL  
COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, LLC;  
SUN-SENTINEL COMPANY, LLC; SAN  
JOSE MERCURY-NEWS, LLC; DP MEDIA  
NETWORK, LLC; ORB PUBLISHING, LLC;  
AND NORTHWEST PUBLICATIONS, LLC,

Plaintiffs,

v.

MICROSOFT CORPORATION, OPENAI,  
INC., OPENAI LP, OPENAI GP, LLC,  
OPENAI, LLC, OPENAI OPCO LLC, OPENAI  
GLOBAL LLC, OAI CORPORATION, LLC,  
OPENAI HOLDINGS, LLC,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:24-cv-04872-UA

Hon. Sidney H. Stein

(Hon. Ona T. Wang)

**ORAL ARGUMENT REQUESTED**

Civil Action No. 1:23-cv-11195-SHS  
(consolidated)

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Civil Action No. 1:24-cv-03285-SHS  
(consolidated)

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(Hon. Ona T. Wang)

**ORAL ARGUMENT REQUESTED**

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT OPENAI'S AND DEFENDANT  
MICROSOFT'S JOINT MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE**

The Court, having considered Defendant OpenAI's and Defendant Microsoft's Joint Motion to Consolidate, the Opposition, the Reply, the materials submitted in support thereof, and any oral argument, hereby rules as follows:

The Court **GRANTS** Defendant OpenAI's and Defendant Microsoft's Joint Motion to Consolidate. The three above-captioned matters shall be consolidated for discovery and pretrial purposes. The consolidated matter shall proceed under the case schedule set forth in the already-consolidated *The New York Times Co. v. Microsoft Corp. et al.* (23-cv-11195-SHS) and *Daily News, LP et al. v. Microsoft Corp. et al.* (24-cv-03285-SHS) cases.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 2024

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HONORABLE ONA T. WANG  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE